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## for our It's Great to Be a Teacher event with Mesa Public Schools

Learn the benefits of becoming a teacher, substitute or instructional aide at Mesa Public Schools.

Find out what an education career at Mesa Public Schools is all about! Our schools are hiring teachers, substitute teachers, instructional aides and many other positions.

Hear from a panel of experts why the education field is rewarding. Learn about the personal benefits you receive as a full-time employee. Attend breakout sessions designed to tell you exactly what is needed to become a teacher, substitute, instructional aide and more.

You will have a chance to meet and network with leaders from Mesa Public Schools, and learn about programs that can prepare you for the education field at Mesa Community College and University of Phoenix.

6 to 9 p.m., Wednesday, June 8, 2016

Mesa Community College 1833 W. Southern Ave. Mesa, AZ 85202

For more information and to register please visit: https://itsgreattobeateacher-mesapublicschools.eventbrite.com

### **Highlights**

### **Panel Speakers:**

### **Nicki Derryberry**

Biotechnology teacher, Red Mountain High School 2015-16 Milken Educator award winner

### Lori Beth Hutchison

Special education teacher, Smith Junior High School

### **Cathy Matsumoto Zinkhon**

K-3 resource teacher, Sousa Elementary School

Former instructional aide and now teacher-in-residence

### Violeta Buchanan

Substitute teacher, districtwide

### **Breakout sessions:**

### How to Become a Substitute Teacher

Adrian Lopez, supervisor of substitute services, Mesa Public Schools

### How to Become an Instructional Aide

Brittany Page, human resources assistant, classified staff, Mesa Public Schools

## How to Become a Certified Teacher Through an Alternative Pathway

Ginger McCarty, secretary to human resources director, Mesa Public Schools

Professional development specialists, Mesa Public Schools

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